The Times.

AMUSEMENTS OF THE DAY. National-Viola Allen in "Twelfth Night," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m. Columbia-"A Girl From Dixle," 8:15 Lafayette-"Mr. Pipp," 2:15 and 8:15

Chase's-Vaudeville, 2:15 and 8:15 p. m Academy-"For Her Children's Sake, Masonic Temple-Eastern Star Fair.

Georgetown Field-Football: Eastern High School vs. Western High School. Brightwood Driving Park-Automobile races, 2 p. m.

MATINEES TOMORROW.

Columbia-"A Girl From Dixie." 2:15 Chase's-Vaudev'lle, 2:15 p. m. Academy-"For Her Children's Sake, Empire-"Th Lyceum-"The Brigadiers," 2:15 p. m.

EXCURSIONS.

Norfolk and Washington steamer for Norfolk and Fort Monroe, 6:30 p. m.

WANT AD BRANCH OFFICE. A branch station for The Times has been opened at William G. Gentner's Pharmacy, corner Fourteenth and U Streets northwest. Want advertisements for the Evening and Sunday Times will be received at this office at regular office rates.

Where Huntsmen Bag Their Game.

Huntsmen had what might be called yesterday, as more game was bagged than in any day in the past month. Hermann Willard was the most fortunate, shooting five blue wings and a mallard duck. Augustus Stein also had luck, bagging a mallard, a blue wing, and two rail. Joseph Wheeler and Fred Smith returned with one duck, four snipe, and two plover.

Information for Fishermen

The Potomac at Great Falls is clear day and registers 36. Reports from Harper's Ferry state that the Shenan-doah and Potomac at that point are both clear.

DEATH RECORD.

The following deaths have been re ported to the Health Department for the twenty-four hours ending at noon

Mary A. Ogden, \$2 years.
Amelia (Mary) Thornton, 79 years.
Harriet Williams, 74 years.
Maria Warren, \$5 years.
Samuel B. McIntyre, 57 years.
Margaret King, 34 years.
Mary Hoffman, 25 years.
William Graham, 3 months.
Infant of Emma and Abe Thompson,
days. 7 days. Eva O. Storey, 1 day.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Charles E. Halslop, 35, and Ella May Veihmyer, 29. W. D. Little, 25, Lorain, Ohio, and Marguerite Emmons, 22, Elyria, Ohio. Dr. Columbus Charis, 39, and Georgiana Sibert, 37, John S. Beckley, 25, and Leavy A. Green, 24. Philip Mulligan, 26, and Daisy Eliza- Macfarland, thanking him for his interest, promised to bring before the John W. Copeland, 38, and Annie Mor-ris Riggs, 35. Howard Louderdale, 25, and Ella uise Warthen, 23. William E. Davis, 46, and Meze Long.

Waliace N. Harton, 57, Albany, N. Y., and Elizabeth L. Chamberlain, 45, District of Columbia.

Plants for the Home.

Children's 98c Flats, 59c

Boys' \$5.00 Overcoats

Boys' Oxford Gray Melton Over-coats; sizes 7 to 16 years; with vel-vet collars; Chesterfield \$3.49 style. Worth every \$3.49

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SCATHING REBUKE ON TAX APPRAISERS

William Henry Dennis Held in \$5,000 Bonds by Sends Another Letter.

by Personal Tax Assersors.

No Consideration for Public.

"All this would come with better grace of the grand jury. from them," says the letter, "if they had The last session shown more consideration for the gen-eral public, to whom the law was equally it than those paid to carry it into effect properly. It would have been more honest to enforce the law somewhat imperfectly for the first year, than to enforce it, as they now confess, excesmitted one way or the other. Every over-assessment is a robbery of the taxpayer, even though under the forms of

A Damaging Admission.

"To have made the personal tax appraisers admit publicly that they have connection with his done wrong, is worth the time and trouble necessary for the purpose. If they had said as much as this in the first place, the matter probably would not have been heard of further from me. zens of the District the sweeping insome of whom went so far, when the appraisers called, as to revile them, order them from their house or place of busi-ness, threaten them, denounce Congress and the District government."

NEW YORK BUILDING RULES COMMENDED FOR DISTRICT

Charles B. Ball, Inspector of Plumbing of the District until January, 1902, called at the District Building to see Commissioner Macfarland. Mr. Ball Macfarland. described to Mr. Macfarland the growth of that department, which was founded two years ago, and the good results of its work in improving housing condi-

Mr. Ball feels the District might copy with advantage some of the building requirements in the New York law, specially for fire protection, for light and ventilation, and he offered co-operation in this direction. He left with the Commissioner copies of the New York law and a letter, which Commission Macfarland, thanking him for his

FIRE IN SCHOOL.

A fire last night at Prof. W. W Schultz's German and English School, 1014 Fourteenth Street northwest, did Arthur Ford, 25, and Frances Walker, 22.

Thomas F. Lavender, 29, and Regina P. Murphy, 22.
George Johnson, 33, and Mary Grace Wise, 30.

Philip Brown, 21, and Clara Campbell, 24.

Wallace N. Harton, 57, Albany, N. Y., and Elizabeth L. Chamberlain, 45, District of Columbia.

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L. J. STERN TO AWAIT **GRAND JURY'S ACTION**

Police Court Judge.

Admission of Wrongdoing Closing Arguments of Attorneys for Union, No. 1. Prosecution and Defense-Judge Scott's Opinion.

for irony, sarcasm, and scathing rebuke, pretenses in connection with his con-is without a parallel in the files of the tracts with the Postoffice Department -"The Night Before Christ- District Building. Mr. Dennis arraigns to furnish letter carrier's satchels, was the board of personal tax appraisers and concluded yesterday afternoon before calls attention to the fact that its members admit that blunders and injustices of the Police Court, and Stern was held been perpetrated by them for by the court in \$5,000 bond to await the which they make the "halting apology" action of the grand jury. The Title that it was because of a "new law" re- Guaranty and Trust Company of Scranquiring them to make more than 13,000 ton, Pa., which qualified as Stern's bondsman several days ago, renewed CITY COUNCIL MEETING. the bond yesterday and Stern will enjoy provisional freedom pending the action

The last session of the hearing began new, and who had less chance to study sixth day of the hearing, and was devoted to the closing arguments of coun-

sel for both sides. Mr. Glassie, counsel for Stern, who was in the course of his argument when the hearing closed on Monday afternoon, resumed it immediately upon the opening of court yesterday. He had previously entered a motion for a dismissal and presented argument to the effect that Stern had done no wrong and that the Postoffice officials were of every action on the part of Stern in ection with his contracts and war

Mr. Taggart's Statement.

Assistant District Attorney Taggart, who personally prosecuted the case, be-They may settle with their fellow-citi- gan the Government's side of the argument immediately upon the close of Mr. dictment brought against the latter in this report, of being a kind of anarchist, the department in that he had obtained payment for something he had not furnished. He advanced many arguments Reliance Fire Company to fit up the week. and quoted authorities to show that a case had been made out and asked the used by the Hydraulion Fire Company. court to send Stern to the grand jury An ordinance was agreed to re-creating the office of superintendent of the town

Mr. Woodard, associated with Mr.

that sufficient evidence had been intro- was referred. None of these measures DIVIDEND DECLARED. duced to justify Stern's case going to When the decision of the court was announced Mr. Glassie made a plea for the reduction of the bond, but Attorney Taggart asked that the bond be continued at \$5,000, and Judge Scott fixed it at that amount.

SHRINERS TO VISIT EASTERN STAR FAIR

The nobles of Almas Temple, Mystic Shrine, will attend the Eastern Star fair Shrine, will attend the Eastern Star fair in Masonic Temple, Ninth and F Streets northwest, tomorrow evening. The line will be formed at 7:39 o'clock in National Rifles Armory, and from there the Shriners will march to the Temple to spend the evening and help the fund for erecting a home for indigent Master

Hospital, where his arm was amputated above the elbow. He is resting comfortably today. Mr. Washington is well known ir Washington city, where he was for some time employed as a clerk in the offices of the Southern Railroad.

Landover, Md.

We can do the same for you. No charge for extracting when we's is ordered. Examinations for erecting a home for indigent Master Masons, their wives, mothers, widows, and children. William F. Gude, potentate of the Almas, has ordered evening dress and fez to be worn tomorrow evening. Noble William A. Haley's Band will escort the Shriners to the Temple.

C. E. BALMA.

At the bazaar of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Methodist Prostestant Church, now in progress at Odd Fellows' Hall, the Sons of the Confederate Veterans were present last night.

Transplant a bit of summer into the winter home. Beautiful plants at Gude's, deposit box in the vaults of Union Trust & Storage Co., 1414 F st. \$5 year.

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BRICKLAYERS WILL GET FIVE DOLLARS PER DAY

Secretary of Union.

Capt. Chester Harding, assistant to the

Mr. Spohn stated it had been reported money to street car conductors. that sewer construction work was to be

NEED NOT PAY BOND OF DEFAULTING AGENT

Rate Fixed for Sewer Upon Demand of Court Decides Suit in Favor of a Baltimore Guaranty Company.

Chief Justice Clabaugh yesterday in-Engineer Commissioner, has recom-mende that beginning November 1, 1966. 2 to bring in a verdict in favor of the Empire—"The Night Before Christmas," 2 and 8 p. m.

Lyceum—"The Brigadiers," 2:15 and 8 p. m.

SAYS THEY ADMIT BLUNDERS

BAIL PROMPTLY FURNISHED

the rate of pay for bricklayers employed by the District sewer division be fixed at \$5 per diem. This action was taken as a result of a communication received as a result of a communication received. The suit grew out of a bond for \$2,500 the rat of pay for bricklayers employed defendant in the suit of John L. Warby the Commissioners from Milford given by the company to indemnify Spohn, secretary of the Bricklayers' Waring against loss on the part of his agent, whose duty is was to loan

> It was contended that this agent dedone by day work by the District au- faulted after having in his hands about thorities and he was directed by the \$7,000. The defendant contended that it union to inform them that \$5 per day has was relieved from liability on the bone The Commissioners have received a letter from William Henry Dennis which Leopold J. Stern, charged with false for irony, sarcasm, and scathing rebuke, pretenses in connection with his configuration, as a precise of tracts with the Postoffice Department quired by the union to be paid to its been the union rate of wages for brick-last two which were presented to it as to the years, and that this rate would be required by the union to be paid to its bald by the agent, were inaccurate. held by the agent, were inaccurate.

ALEXANDRIA NEWS NOTES

ALEXANDRIA, Va., Oct. 28.—The city ouncil met at the City Hall last night. aldermen were without a quorum L. C. Barley. council there were present, President
Paff and Messrs, Trimyer, Snowden. In the Alexandria county court I yesterday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock and and soon adjourned. In the common The board was mainly occupied in the discussion of street and sewer plans, City plats to explain the work. An appropria- to serve three months in jail Streets east. Three hundred dollars to verdict of guilty, and accused fined \$20 gravel Gibson Street from Washington and sentenced to serve eight months in to Patrick was also appropriated. One jail. thousand dollars was appropriated to improve Commerce Street; \$300 for a charged with the alleged selling of liquor sewer in the alley from Henry to Pat-rick Street south of King Street, and to agree and was dismissed. \$900 to macadamize Cameron Street from Washington to Pitt Streets.

clock, with a salary of \$100 per annum. An ordinance to regulate the sale of office cases now awaiting trial.

Judge Scott, in holding Stern, said ment of the sewer tax and the petition take effect until concurred in by the board of aldermen, which under the charter will hold a meeting tonight.

GEORGE WASHINGTON HURT.

While crossing the railway track at the intersection of King and Fayette Street last night, George Washington, a well-known citizen of Alexandria, was struck by a railway train and severely injured. His right arm was crushed and he was hurt about the head picked up and taken to the Alexandria Hospital, where his arm was amputated

REAL ESTATE DEAL. W. H. Travers has bought from W. P. Lockwood a house and lot on the west side of Fairfax Street, near Gibbon.

GAME WARDENS APPOINTED.

R. H. Atkinson and W. L. Mullen have been appointed game wardens by Judge

In the Alexandria county court, Judge Burke, Baader, Bryan, Brill, Johnson. J. M. Love, presiding, the following Uhler, McCuen, Spinks and Leadbeater. business was transacted yesterday: Commonwealth vs. C. C. Clements, in-Engineer Dunn attending with cense, accused fined \$20, and sentenced tion of \$1,800 was made for a sewer from the corner of Washington and Pendleton selling liquor without license; jury and Commonwealth vs. John Wilson, for

Commonwealth vs. J. C. Nelson

DELEGATES TO GRAND CAMP, C. V. A proposal to appropriate \$1.715 for a macadamized roadway on Aifred Street, from Queen to Princess Streets, was recommitted in order that the cost of a sewer to underlie that portion of the street could be reported. Two hundred of the Grand Camp of Confederate Vet-deliars was appropriated to enable the erans, which will convene there this

ELECTIONS FOR LEGISLATURE.

On next Tuesday the elections for senators and delegates to the Legisla-Mr. Woodard, associated with Mr. Glassie in the defense of Stern, presented the closing argument to the court. He said the case amounted merely to an overcharge and was not for settlement in a criminal court. He also charged that Stern had been brought to this country on a fictitious charge to be used as a witness in the other Post-office cases now awaiting trial.

Indeed, with a salary of \$100 per annum. The clock, with a salary of \$100 per annum. The clock with a salary of \$100 per annum. It is pretty nearly certain the Lewis H. Machen, the Democratic candidate for senaror for this district, will be deceted without se

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